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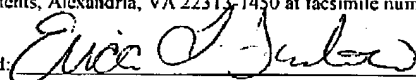
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- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-1351.
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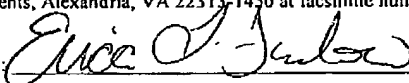
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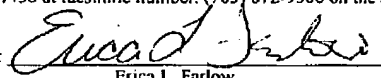
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SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT A

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Dear Sir:

In response to the office action mailed 03/15/04 and the office action mailed 09/23/04, please enter the following SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT A in place of the previously filed AMENDMENT A filed 06/15/04. Per the request of the Examiner, the present SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT A includes additional arguments pointing out specific distinctions believed to render the added new Claims 18 and 19 patentable over the applied references.